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Honolulu Liquor Commission Fines Mona's Market For Selling Liquor To A Minor

- Commission also removes Club Pauahi from probation status-

HONOLULU (**Feb. 2, 2007**) – The Honolulu Liquor Commission (HLC) took the following action at its 30th meeting of the fiscal year on Feb. 1, 2007.

- The Shack (default) was fined \$100 for violation of Section 281-71, HRS (failing to conspicuously post and expose to view its license on the licensed premises.
- Pon's Nong Khai Thai Restaurant & Bar & Karaoke Lounge (nka Cindy's Place) was fined \$500 for violation of Section 281-91, HRS (failing to comply with Commission Order to may a penalty of \$600 within 15 days of the date of service of the Order). In addition, the Commission ordered the licensee to pay the outstanding penalty of \$600.
- **Cindy's Place** (no contest) was fined \$100 for violation of Rule 3-84-78.52 (stacking).
- **Club Sun** (no contest) was fined \$250 for violation of Rule 3-82-38.4(b) (time card).
- Susie Q (no contest) was fined \$300 for violation of Rule 3-84-78.01(b) (employee consumption of alcohol while on duty on the licensed premises).
- Club Refresh (guilty) was fined \$500 for violation of Rule 3-84-78.01(b) (employee consumption of alcohol while on duty on the licensed premises).
- The adjudication against Saigon Passion III for violation of Rule 3-84-78.01(d) (employee seated with customer was not a registered hostess or manager on duty) was continued until the next available setting.
- Osake Sushi Bar and Lounge/Skybox Sports Lounge (no contest) was fined \$100 for violation of Rule 3-84-78.52 (stacking).

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- Cheers Station was fined \$500 for violation of Rule 3-84-79.1 (obstructing, hampering, or interfering with investigations of Liquor Commission operations).
- The adjudication against New Imperial Lounge for violation of Section 281-78(b)(5), HRS (knowingly permitting a person under the influence of liquor or disorderly person to be or remain in or on the licensed premises) was continued until the next available setting.
- Pacific Mini Mart pled no contest to violation of Section 281-78(b)(1)(A), HRS (selling liquor to a minor).
 In addition, the Commission continued the penalty phase of the adjudication until Feb. 8, 2007.
- Mona's Market (no contest) was fined \$2,000 for Section 281-78(b)(1)(A), HRS (selling liquor to a minor). In addition, the Commission ordered server training for the licensee/owners.

During the public hearings, the Commission:

- Approved the application from Miyagi & Tanaka LLC for a Restaurant General license (Cat. No. 2 Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing at 94-200 Paioa Pl. (Waikele Golf Course).
- Approved the application from WDI International, Inc. (dba Taormina Sicilian Cuisine) for a Restaurant General license (Cat. No. 2 – Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) at 227 Lewers St., Space R-100.
- Approved the application from Beachwalk Steak House, LLC (dba Ruth's Chris Steak House) for a
 Restaurant General license (Cat. No. 2 Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) at 226
 Lewers St., Suite L233.
- Approved the application from Yard House Waikiki, LLC for a Restaurant General license (Cat. No. 2 Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) at 226 Lewers St., Space L-148 (Embassy Suites Hotel).

During the preliminary hearings and license portion of the meeting, the Commission:

- Approved the application from JDS, Inc. for the transfer of the business and Dispenser Beer and Wine license (Cat. No. 1 Standard Bar) of Ohsho Enterprises, Inc. at 131 Kaiulani Ave. and for a change of trade name to Gyoza No Ohsho.
- Approved the application from Yanax, Inc. for the transfer of the business and Restaurant General license (Cat. No. 1 Standard Bar) of International Furusato, Inc. (dba Furusato) at 2424 Kalakaua Ave. and for a change of trade name to Furusato Sushi. The Commission also approved a Temporary Restaurant General license for the licensee.

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- Approved the application from 808 Lounge Inc. for a Dispenser General license (Cat. No. 1 Standard Bar) at 1613 Nuuanu Ave., No. 10B (Nuuanu Shopping Plaza).
- Approved the application from Shall We Dance, Ltd. for a Dispenser General license (Cat. No. 3 Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) at 746 Ilaniwai St.
- Approved the application from **Johnson Bros. of Hawaii, Inc.** for a change of location from 98-746 Kuaho
 Pl. (Pearl City) to 1030 Opule St. (Kapolei).
- Approved the application from Plus One, Inc. (dba C.K. Lounge) for a Temporary Dispenser General license (Cat. No. 3 and 4 Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing; and Hostess) at 904 Kohou St., No. 101, the current site of C.K. Lounge.
- Approved the application from Tsuni's Mini Mart, Inc. for a Temporary Retail General license at 902
 Pumehana St., the current site of Helen's Party Store.
- Approved the application from PBH Management LLC (dba Pacific Beach Hotel) for a Temporary Hotel
 General license at 2490 Kalakaua Ave., the current site of Pacific Beach Hotel.
- Approved the application from Whanee Minee, Inc. (dba 1 2 3 Store) for a Temporary Retail General license at 430 Lewers St., #100, the current site of 1 2 3 Store.
- Approved the application from Sodexho Management, Inc. for a Caterer license to cater off the licensed premises to 1337 Lower Campus Rd. (University of Hawaii Softball Stadium) on Feb. 8 to 11; March 1 to 4, 6 to 10, 14 to 17, 19, 20, 23, 24; April 17, 20 and 21, 2007.
- Approved the application from Hilton Hawaiian Village, LLC for a Caterer license to cater off the license
 premises to 500 Royal Hawaiian Ave. (Wyland Waikiki Hotel) from Feb. 16 to May 16, 2007.
- Approved the application from Outrigger Hotels Hawaii, a Limited Partnership (dba Outrigger Reef)
 for a Caterer license to cater off the licensed premises to 201 Beach Walk (Embassy Suites-Waikiki
 Beachwalk Hotel) from Feb. 16 to March 15, 2007.

During the Other Business portion of the meeting, the Commission:

- Lifted the probation on Saiming Corporation (dba Club Pauahi) at 80 South Pauahi St. after reviewing a six-months status report on action taken by licensee regarding conditions imposed for renewal of liquor license.
- Conferred with the Liquor Administrator and Corporation Counsel regarding entertainment/vending devices on licensed premises, in accordance with HRS 92-5(a)(4).

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- Conferred with the Liquor Administrator and Corporation Counsel regarding personnel and employment matters, in accordance with HRS 92-5(a)(2) and 92-5(a)(4).
- Discussed with the Liquor Administrator and Corporation Counsel personnel and employment matters
 pertaining to the Liquor Control Administrator and related support staff positions in Administration, in
 accordance with HRS 92-5(a)(2).

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